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May 19, 2022

VIA E FILING

Jocelyn D. Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk and Administrator South Carolina Public Service Commission 101 Executive Center Drive Columbia, SC 29210

RE:

Application of United Commercial Telecom, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Access Services and Local Exchange Telecommunications Services and for local service offerings to be regulated in accordance with procedures authorized for New South Communications in Order No. 98-165 in Docket No. 97-467-C.

Docket No. 2022-157-C

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed please find for filing the Proof of Publication on behalf of United Commercial Telecom, LLC ("UCT") in connection with the above-referenced matter. By copy of this correspondence, I am serving all parties of record.

If you have any questions, or if I may provide you with any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Elliott & Elliott, P.A.

Scott Elliott

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Enclosures

cc: All parties of record. (w/encl. via Electronic Mail)



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Attention: Joseph Isaacs ISG-TELECOM CONSULTANTS 4274 ENFIELD COURT, SUITE 1600 PALM HARBOR, FL 34685

Application of UNITED COMMERCIAL TELECOM, LLC, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Access Services and Local Exchange Telecommunications Services and Local Exchange Telecommunications Services and for Local Service Offerings to Be Regulated in Accordance with Procedures Authorized for NewSouth Communications in Order No. 1998–165 in Docket No. 1997–467-C Docket No. 2022-157-C Why is this Notice Important?

- UNITED COMMERCIAL TELECOM, LLC is applying for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide Access Services and Local Exchange Telecommunications Services from the Public Service Commission of South Carolina.

- UNITED COMMERCIAL TELECOM, LLC requests certification to:
- Operate as a resold and facilities-based local exchange service provider
- Use an Access Exchange Tartiff or Access Services Tartiff included in the Application Operate in accordance with procedures allowed for NewSouth Communications in Order No. 1998–165 in Docket No. 1997–467-C
- The case was fifted according to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-9-280(B) and Section 253 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, and the hearing is scheduled under S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-9-280, as amended, the Commission will invoke the 120-day period allowed for consideration of this matter.

For the Company's complete proposal visit: https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Altachments/Matter/96b45165-365-4869-8264-270daf la2594

When Ethersday, July 21, 2022 21 10:90 AM. This hearing is virtual unless changed by the Commission.

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Who Can I Talk to About This Notice?
UNITED COMMERCIAL TELECOM, LLC 407-221-1027
Office of Regulatory Staff 803-737-5230 or 1-800-922-1531
Department of Consumer Affairs 803-734-4200 or 1-800-922-1594
Public Service Commission 803-898-5100
How Can I Participate in this Case?
A member of the public may participate in the case by any or all three ways listed below.
Option A; File a Letter of Protest by:
Email contact @psc.sc.gov; or
Mail to 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100, Columbia, SC 29210.
More information is available here: https://psc.sc.gov/consumer-info/file-letter-protest
Option B:

More information is available nere: https://pacas.gom/orasias/ Option B: File a Petition to Intervene. An Intervenor becomes a party in the case, intervenors have the right to testify, cross-examine witnesses, appeal the Commission's Final Decision, and must follow the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. To Intervene, you must: Email a Petition to Intervene to contact @psc.sc.gov no later than Thursday, June 16,

Email a Petition to Intervene to commarter psc.su.gov no start train mursuay, sure 10, 2022; or
 Mail a Petition to Intervene to 101 Executive Center Drive, Suits 100, Columbia, SC 29210 no later than Thursday, June 16, 2022. Please include your email address.

"You must give a copy of your Petition to Intervene to all Parties in this case. Petitions to Intervene must meet the requirements of Commission Regulation 103-825 and must be approved to the Commission Regulation 103-825.

Persons seeking further information about these procedures should contact the Commission at 803-896-5100 or visit its website at www.psc.sc.gov. IPL0073032

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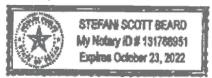
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The undersigned employee of Elliott & Elliott, P.A. does hereby certify that she has served below listed parties with a copy of the pleading(s) indicated below by mailing a copy of same to them via Electronic Mail, and return address clearly marked on the date indicated below:

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DOCKET NO.: 2022-157-C

PARTIES SERVED: <u>Via Electronic Mail</u>

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